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**LED** *FastStart*

**YOUR SUCCESSFUL  
WORKFORCE SOLUTION**



# RECOGNIZING LED FASTSTART



## Differentiators

- Innovative
- Comprehensive
- Flexible
- Talented
- Tailored
- Fast
- Driven

# LED FASTSTART® RECOGNIZED 8 CONSECUTIVE YEARS AS #1



“This year, we have once again named  
**Louisiana’s FastStart** as the  
*top-ranked program*  
in the nation...”

*Business Facilities Magazine*  
August 2017

# EXPERIENCE

International & Domestic, Fortune 500 & Start-Ups

- Proven
- Wide-Ranging
- World-class
- Unmatched
- Extensive



# LOUISIANA JOB CONNECTION

The screenshot shows the Louisiana Job Connection website. The main header features the logo and navigation links. The central banner is split into two sections: 'I am a job seeker.' and 'I am an employer.', both with 'Post My Résumé for Free' and 'Post Jobs Today for Free' buttons. A central graphic with orange and white circles contains the text 'The Hire Standard in Job Matching' and 'GET matched'. A sidebar on the right contains a 'Please Log In' form with fields for Email and Password, a 'Remember me' checkbox, and a 'Log In' button. Below the banner, four columns describe the platform's features: 'Make great connections.', 'Skills-matching technology.', 'Simply smarter than searching.', and 'Job matching in real time.' The footer includes links for 'FIND JOBS IN LOUISIANA | POST JOBS | PRIVACY | BLOG', the 'BROUGHT TO YOU BY: LED' logo, and social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn.

**LOUISIANA JOB CONNECTION**

**I am a job seeker.**  
Match me with jobs best suited to my skills.  
[Post My Résumé for Free »](#)

**The Hire Standard in Job Matching**

**GET matched**

**I am an employer.**  
Connect me with the most capable candidates.  
[Post Jobs Today for Free »](#)

**Please Log In**

Email

Password (Case sensitive)

[Forgot your password?](#)

☐ Remember me

[Log In](#)

[Not registered? Sign up now.](#)

**Make great connections.**  
Our innovative matching system is designed to connect qualified job seekers with Louisiana job opportunities that best fit their skills and experience.

**Skills-matching technology.**  
Postings entered into our system are analyzed through a sophisticated, 13-point matching algorithm. After our matching engine examines content, connections are made instantly.

**Simply smarter than searching.**  
Louisiana Job Connection was programmed to adapt intelligently to data input. In other words, our technology is so efficient because our system is always improving.

**Job matching in real time.**  
Our advanced matching algorithm eliminates the need for incessant searches, connecting job seekers and employers instantly.

FIND JOBS IN LOUISIANA | POST JOBS | PRIVACY | BLOG

BROUGHT TO YOU BY: **LED** LOUISIANA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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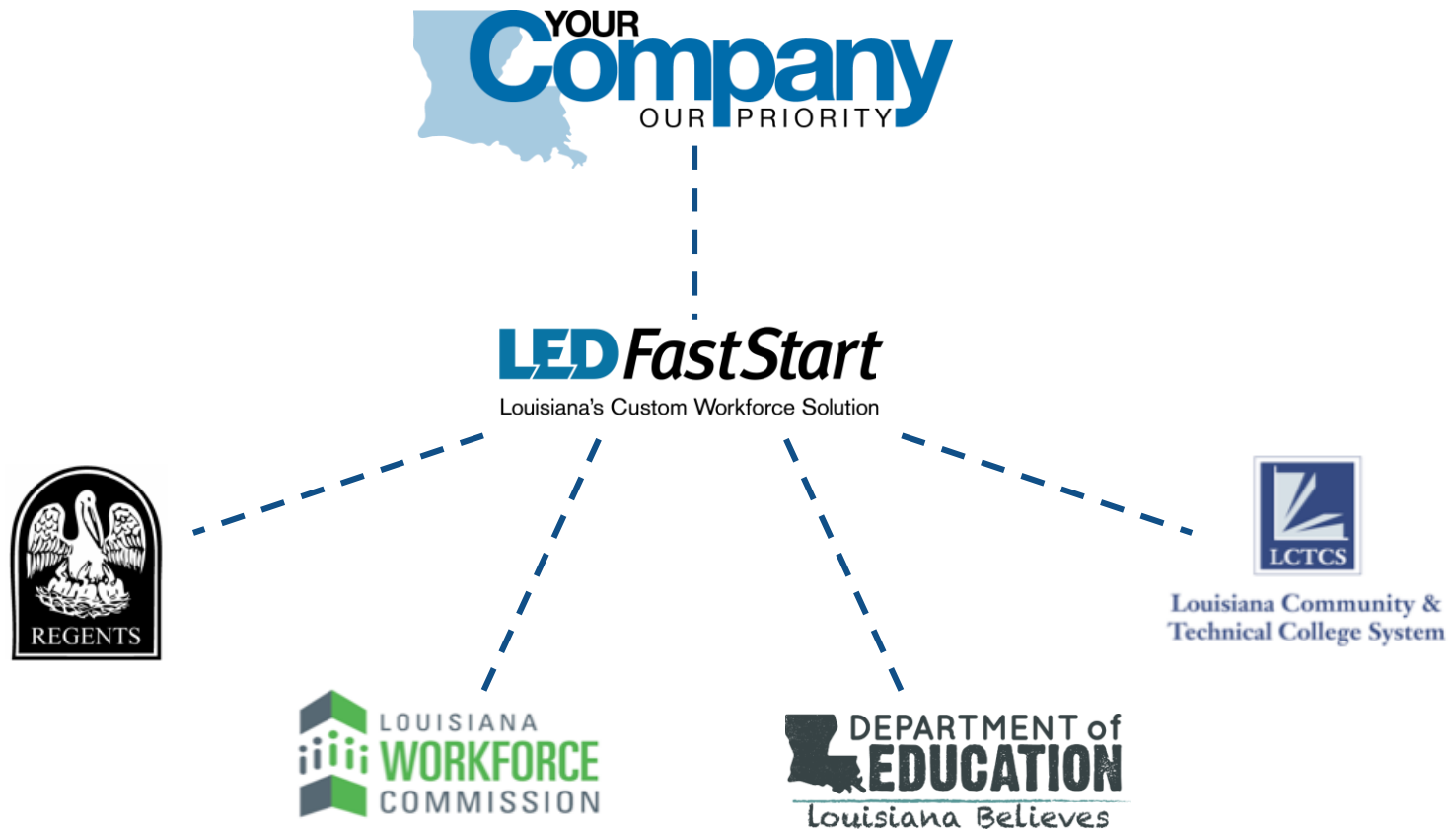
# INNOVATIVE TRAINING MATERIALS



- Pre-Employment Training
- Interactive Training Modules
- On-the-Job Training Guides
- Customized Multimedia
- Mobile Learning Devices



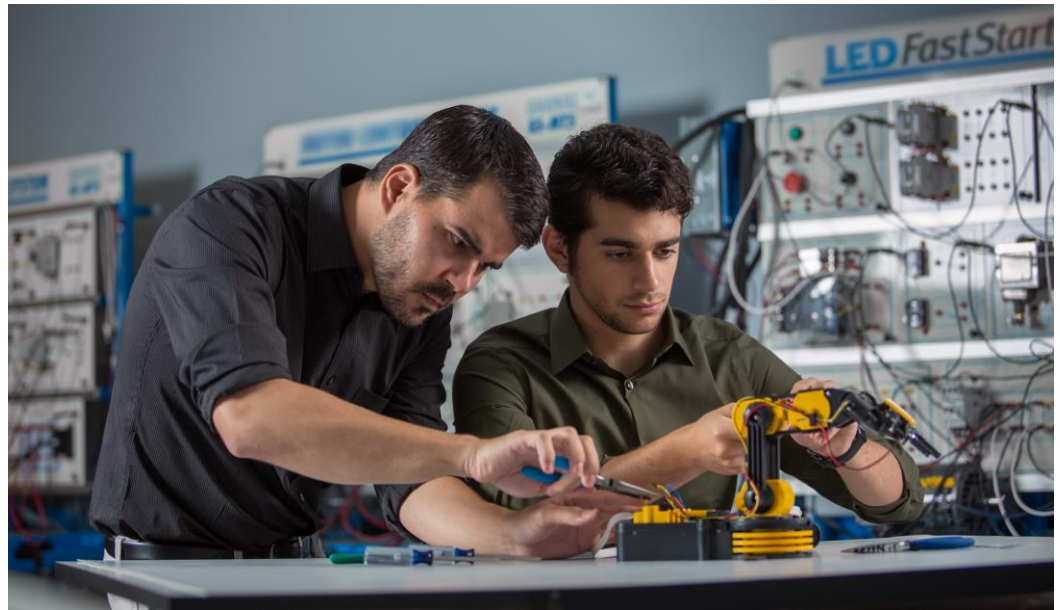
# STATEWIDE PARTNERSHIPS





# WORKFORCE CERTIFICATION

- C4 Manufacturing
- C4 Machining
- C4 Industrial Maintenance



# HIGHER EDUCATION PARTNERSHIPS WITH LED FASTSTART®

## SPECIALIZED TRAINING CENTER @ BOSSIER PARISH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

- All of FastStart's training is customized for each company. That customization, in the case of Benteler, called for LED FastStart to purchase identical finishing equipment with the express purpose of training. The equipment is located at the Technical Training Center on the Campus of BPCC.



**Tim Erway**  
**Chief Operating Officer, Benteler Steel/Tube**

# LOUISIANA HAS ENHANCED ITS SKILLED LABOR FORCE USING INNOVATIVE HIGHER EDUCATION PARTNERSHIPS

<u>Company</u>	<u>Education partner</u>	<u>Industry</u>
		Digital media
		Software and information
		Telecommunications
		Software and information
		Software and information
		Software and information
		Software and information
		Chemical manufacturing
		Steel manufacturing



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